

Shorts About Service Men

What the Boys are Doing Here and There

MADISON, Wis., Sept. 30.—An army barracks may not resemble a schoolhouse, but Donald M. Cowell of Tahoe City has gone back to school while serving his country in uniform.

Donald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Cowell, has enrolled as a student with the United States Armed Forces Institute, an official school of the War and Navy Departments which provides high school, college and vocational correspondence courses for men and women in military service.

Cowell graduated from the Tahoe high school in 1934 and has been engaged in veterinarian work in Michigan and California and is now in the veterinarian branch of the medical division.

Although away since 1934, Cowell still returns often to Tahoe and considers it his permanent home.

Another of Bob Luck's famous and widely known Georgetown Specials, a left handed hunting knife, has arrived somewhere in the Pacific and its happy owner, D. D. Cheney, a first class SeaBee has written to thank the local man. "The knife is the envy of everyone who sees it," he wrote. "It is as near the right size as you could have made it and is used for everything from cutting food, opening boxes and cutting the bushes and vines as well as for a good defense weapon."

My good friend, Pfc. Bud Zorich, from somewhere in the Pacific writes this week to say he is still receiving the Sierra Sun and that off where he is now stationed it is a double treat. "Wait, the fishing is really super here," Bud writes. "This is no line—we can get fish from three to seven pounds by using a club or even catch them with our hands. I guess that surpasses the Boca deal, eh, wot? Tell Dave Cabona this is really the tops. Carl (Kielhofer) lives just over the hill from me. We are planning on having a feed together in the near future. He sends his hello to everybody. Say hello to Peanny and Walt for me."

Carl Kielhofer wrote home this week—after a long silence—to reassure his mother, Mrs. Rose Kielhofer and his grandmother, Mrs. Dan Smith that he is comfortably located and is not missing the fishing season as is able to catch both salmon and trout with his hands and occasionally looks a blue fox in the face.

NEW TELEPHONE MAN ARRIVES HERE

Henry Martin of Renton, Washington has arrived here to replace Chester Matson as wire chief for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company in this area. Matson has asked for and been granted a transfer to Oroville where his family now resides.

Martin's wife and 12 year old son are expected here soon, but their two daughters will remain in Washington for the time being. Martin has been with the telephone company for 15 years.

PARTY IS HELD FOR LORETTA LEWIS

Mrs. Ben Lewis assisted by Miss Clarabelle Lewis was hostess at a party given for her daughter, Loretta in the grammar school auditorium last Thursday evening.

The incentive was the 13th birthday of the honoree and the hours were spent playing games, followed by refreshments including a decorated birthday cake.

Guests attending the festive affair included Kathleen Bradbury, Charlette Gates, Bobby Jean Dolley, Betty Kaler, Alice Waters, Marlene Manne, Wilma Heath, Esperanza Garcia and Eugene Gini, Bill Riley, Bill Campbell, Harvey Hocker, J. Rablin, Everett Kalenbach, Martin Oroz and Bert Weeden.

HOBBY SHOW IS PLAN OF CLUB

Otis Vaughn, superintendent of the school at Reno will be the speaker at the hobby show and pot-luck dinner being arranged by members of the Wyethia Women's Club for Saturday, October 21 at Capitol Hall.

Mrs. T. T. Buell, club president announced the affair this week. Mrs. E. C. Bavier is chairman for the novel program and anyone in the area who has an interesting hobby or knows another person who is hobby minded is asked to contact the chairman immediately.

LINDA LOYND FETED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Linda Loynd who was three years old on Friday September 24 had a lawn party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Loynd on Tuesday with several small guests present to share the pink and yellow birthday cake and other refreshments after play time. They included Jean and Charles Murray, Dick, Judy and Jimmie Loynd, George Pace, Jr., Bill and Irene Englehart, Jrs., Mrs. H. T. Langille assisted the hostess during the afternoon.

Captain Frank Carson, formerly a state checking station employee here, is stationed in San Francisco with the military police and visited with friends here last week.

Dick Carnell is now at Camp Gruber near Tulsa, Oklahoma, he writes to friends here. Dick was the most recent 18-year-old inducted from the region, going from Tahoe City.

Mrs. Sam Goss reports she hasn't heard from Blake, now with the army, since the middle of July, so it is presumed he will soon be with some of you fellows either east or west.

CHARTER NIGHT OF LION CLUB TO BE HELD OCTOBER 9

Preparations are going forward for observance of the 12th Charter Night program of the Truckee Lions Club, according to Arthur P. Leitch, the chairman of the committee of past presidents in charge.

A dinner-dance with a few snappy floor show items at Capitol Hall will feature the evening's entertainment.

A number of district officers are expected to attend and from current reports the evening will be one of the most eventful from an entertainment standpoint, the club has ever promoted.

Lions and their guests are urged to secure tickets from Leitch as it will be necessary to make reservations in advance this year because of dinner arrangements.

There will be no meeting of the club next Wednesday. Reservations for the Saturday dinner must be made prior to next Thursday night.

ACTIVITIES AT LAKE HATCHERIES ARE REPORTED FOR YEAR

TAHOE CITY, Sept. 30.—Allan Pollitt, in charge of the Tahoe Fish Hatcheries, this week released some information of importance to the fish and game department's activities in this region.

The Tallac hatchery will close this week for the season and Fred Setley who has been in charge there will return to the Tahoe hatchery for the winter. A new 1-inch pipe line has just been completed at the Tallac hatchery to supplement the water supply. Workers were brought in to do the work from outside hatcheries since labor supply here was negligible this summer.

C. W. Chansler of Mareda was in charge of the installation and left Tahoe Thursday for Yosemite where he will supervise further repair and improvement work for the state.

Planting was completed September 15 with 406,590 rainbows planted at Tahoe, as compared with the planting in 1942 of 395,600.

The weight of the fish this year exceeded that of last year, the average per ounce for 1942 being 13 and this year's crop averaged 8.8 per ounce when planted. Total weight of fish planted last year was 1,895 pounds while this year a total of 2,877 pounds was distributed.

The Ralston Club again carried on the work of back country planting, covering a wide area and omitting only places where it was impossible to reach.

PERSONIUS TAKES LOCAL PATROL JOB

Captain Earl Personius of Sacramento is temporarily assigned to the Placer County squad of the state highway patrol to relieve Capt. Chas. LaPorte who is confined to a hospital in Sacramento following a major operation.

NEWLYWEDS VISIT AT TAHOE HOME

TAHOE CITY, Sept. 30.—Edward Bernard Doolittle of the Coastguard and his bride, the former Helen Worden, arrived at Tahoe Monday afternoon following their wedding Sunday in the San Leandro Catholic Church. They plan to remain for a week's honeymoon here, during which the bridegroom hopes to get in some successful hunting. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Worden accompanied the justweds to Tahoe, having gone down to the bay region last week to prepare for the wedding.

CHRISTMAS SEALS GO ON SALE HERE

Mrs. Judson Foster, chairman of the Truckee branch of the Nevada County Seals Sales Committee, announces that she has received a large number of the seals to go on sale immediately. While the county chairman, Mrs. May C. Goynne, explained that the regular seals sale will not begin until November 18, a special sale is being stressed and seals are now available. The seals may be placed in convenient locations for the benefit of purchasers, Mrs. Foster said.

Sierra Sun

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My Place In The Sun

By CORP. DOUG BARRETT

(Excerpts from letters from some where in the Alaska Theater).

Your nomadic correspondent has again returned to the base of his operations for the time being. I made a trip to a large post to get my teeth fixed. I can honestly say I never had an easier time in a dentist's chair. Without the aid of any opiate, the army dentists fixed up my molars in a satisfactory and painless fashion. Don't let anyone tell you that they—the army dentists—don't know their business. The one I had was tops.

The journey involved a week's stay in the metropolis of the north and I never had a better time in my life. Two other boys from my outfit were down there on pass at the time and we did the town in truly conservative style. We visited the best bar in the town and sat before a roaring fire place on sofas, sipping our drinks. Another evening I went around to the USO and had the pleasure of talking to a civilized white woman of my own age. It was really a rare treat and was one of those moments that I shall look back upon in future years as one of the more pleasant of my career in the army. Thus innocently I spent my dental pass—and the major part of a month's pay.

Speaking of the war—and who isn't these days—let me assure you that we are all overjoyed at the successes of our arms in Europe. We in the service feel that now is time as never before, to exert our utmost to bring the end while the enemy is reeling under our blows. A day saved now is not merely 24 hours but thousands of precious lives.

It may be of interest to you that I won that \$5 on the Second Front pool here, having guessed most accurately as to the time and place of the invasion. I was only a week off, being naturally conservative. Any time you want to know anything about the future of the war just send a self-addressed stamped envelope to "Senator" D. Barrett, political and military prognostications while you wait—also laundry taken in on Mondays.

I've made another war bet. I've got a buck that says the Germans will still be fighting next Easter. That is my answer to a character who says that the war in Europe will be over by Christmas. I hope I'm wrong.

Guess what! The radio station that I listen to most consistently these days is good ole KFBK, the Sacto Bee station. You can understand that it really takes me home. We receive it up here about as well as you do at home. Of course, we get it in the early morning hours so we don't get local programs much but still every quarter hour or so the announcer breaks in with the station identification.

NEW RESTRICTIONS ON TIRE ISSUANCE

To insure that the gap between the present dwindling supplies of pre-war tires and adequate supplies of new synthetic tires is bridged successfully, eligibility for new passenger tires (Grade 1) will be restricted to "C" book drivers with a mileage of 601 or more miles per month effective October 1, the OPA announced this week.

This removes from the new tire eligibility all "B" drivers and some "C" book holders. Previously all car owners whose mileage totalled 241 or more miles a month could obtain ration certificates for Grade 1 tires. Grade 1 tires, however, are now practically non-existent.

This action is regarded as temporary, but the date when eligibility can be broadened will depend upon efforts now being made to produce new synthetic tires for passenger tires in quantity.

OPA said it is acting in accordance with the recent statement of the Office of the Rubber Director that "only those drivers whose work is most essential to the winning of the war can count on new replacement tires for at least the next twelve months."

In Hospital—Glenn Robinson is in a Reno hospital where he underwent an appendectomy.

Auto Accident At Boca Results In Arrest of Deserter

Home Sick Soldier Held As Deserter From Camp At Fort Ord

One youth was seriously injured and another, reported by Constable N. F. Dolley to be an army deserter, suffered lesser injuries Tuesday afternoon when a pickup truck operated by W. A. Miles, 52, Oakland, got out of control near Boca and crashed into a bridge over the Truckee River.

John E. Smith, 17, Kansas City hitchhiker, was taken to the hospital at Nevada City suffering from internal injuries. His condition yesterday was reported improved.

The second boy, Michael Kittis, 19, Masonville, Penn., suffered a badly injured wrist, Dolley questioned the latter and he admitted, the officer said, that he left Fort Ord early Sunday to return home without leave.

Smith charged that Kittis forced him to give him civilian clothing and he cached his uniform near Colfax. This was later recovered by Dolley when he took Kittis to the county jail to await disposition of his case by army officials.

The driver of the car, Miles, was not injured, Dolley said.

Kittis, who said he had a wife and baby in the east, said he was home sick to see them and so took a chance by changing clothing, giving the wrong name and age and traveling over the highways. It took some time to get the correct story, the constable said.

SAM LEEDOM TELLS CLUB OF BIG PROJECT

Sam Leedom of the division of water resources of the Department of Public Works, spoke before the meeting of the Truckee-Tahoe Rotary Club here Monday night as guest of Tom Buell, Dee Bowen presided.

Leedom gave a short talk on the early history of California's water plan for developing the Central Valley Water Project.

This project, when completed, he said, will irrigate 10,000,000 acres of land. The government has taken it over and will complete it soon.

Leedom also showed a picture which gave an idea of what the project will mean to California.

Thirty attended the meeting held at Capitol Hall following the dinner at the Truckee Cafe. Visiting Rotarians included Allan Morrow of Richmond. Other guests at the dinner were A. Dinelli and Mesdames Buell, L. A. Green, Sam Leedom.

LITTLE JUDY LOYND OBSERVES BIRTHDAY

Judy Loynd celebrated her fifth birthday yesterday with a family party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Loynd. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loynd and children were present when Judy opened her gifts. Individual birthday cakes were served at the close of the dinner.

BANK OF AMERICA WINS AD REWARD

Advertising placed in California newspapers by the Bank of America during the past 12 months has won for the bank the famous "Socrates Award" for national leadership in bank advertising. The announcement was made in the October issue of Bank-Ad Views, just released.

The award eagerly sought annually by hundreds of leading banking institutions throughout the country, is based on originality of ideas, the effectiveness of layout and illustrative technique and excellence of copy and service to the public.

When laying down the policy for the year's efforts, A. P. Giannini, founder of Bank of America, declared that "wartime is not only a time for continued advertising effort, but because of the more difficult problems to be met, it should be of even better quality."

TRAILER ROBBED

A transient who allegedly entered a house trailer parked near the Pioneer Garage and stole a radio was being held in jail here today after a prospective customer for a radio stolen from the trailer turned the suspect over to the highway patrol. Details were not available this morning.

USE SUN ADVERTISING

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by WALTER M. BARRETT

One fact, among others which made itself felt at the meeting of the Sacramento Valley Council of the State Chamber of Commerce in the capital city last week, was that, despite opinions which we may be inclined to form occasionally, California officials as well as the state chamber of commerce, are interested in our region and willing to lend all possible aid in solving our problems. Because we are more or less isolated from our state government geographically, we feel at times that we are neglected except through tax collections, licenses, etc., but the cooperation offered and received in our fight to prevent damage to our natural resources of this area as well as in other matters of more local character prove that we are still considered an important part of the state and can, if we desire and show the proper interest in ourselves, expect full and important assistance from our state and the state chamber of commerce.

We know that organizations are supposed to promote various civic projects and programs, but when one exceeds expectations we believe it is entitled to commendation. So we are happy this week to pass the torch to the Wyethia Women's Club and its staff of officers and members. We have enjoyed watching the progress of the club during recent months and have marveled at the ingenuity of its members. Among other worthwhile endeavors handled most successfully have been a garden show, dinner dance, old-time parties and many other community affairs. Now a hobby show is in the offing. We are sincerely proud of the Wyethia Club because of its achievements.

No one has told us that the \$500 fine imposed recently against a violator of the fish and game laws, was too high. As a matter of fact we have heard many favorable remarks aimed at Justice of the Peace Smith for his action. The time has come to put a stop to flagrant violations of these seemingly unimportant laws if we are to preserve our wild life. We are heartily in favor of continued vigilance by our good game warden, Bill LaMar, and with the support given him in court.

SELLERS OF SHELLS WARNED ON PRICES

James J. Boyle, Sacramento district director of the Office of Price Administration, today warned private parties and sporting goods dealers against profiteering on rifle and shot gun ammunition. Reports indicate that unreasonable prices are being charged by private sellers in particular.

Prices of ammunition are set under the General Maximum Price Regulation which provides that no person, individual or firm shall sell any commodity at a price higher than the same or similar product sold for in March 1942. Violators are subject to suits for damages of treble the overcharge or \$50 whichever is greater as well as to license suspension.

Return to Capital—

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russi and son have returned to Sacramento following a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Edmunds. Russi is a fireman for the Southern Pacific in this district.

Kicked by Horse—

Jack Gates was treated by Dr. J. H. Bernard Monday for a back injury inflicted when he was kicked by a horse in the mountains near Tahoe. He is reported improved.

Leave for Winter—

The Ernest Hoerdlers are leaving Tahoe to return to Covina for the winter.

Closing Home—

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Zimmerman are closing their Tahoe home this week to go to San Francisco for the winter months.

Colfax Visitor—

Mrs. Henry Williams was a recent visitor in Colfax.

Hunt at Soda Springs—

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Johnson and Mrs. Judith Hatch of Auburn were among the hunters near Soda Springs where the former got his buck.

Sisters Meet—

Mrs. Ruth Wallace of Sacramento was a recent visitor here of her sister Mrs. F. F. Kearney and Mrs. E. Kaler.

Garage Man Visits—

Jack Nobles, former garage man in Truckee, was a visitor last week.

Hearing Slated To Study Facts Over Donner Situation

State Groups Lend Support To Protect Lakes Of Sierra

Protection of the scenic, historical and recreation values of the Truckee River watershed, now threatened by proposed power and irrigation developments, has been undertaken by the Sacramento Valley Council of the California State Chamber of Commerce, which met in Sacramento last Friday to attempt to find answers to questions and to lay the foundation upon which to start work.

Edwin J. Regan of Trinity County, acting chairman of the Natural Resources committee, informed the council that Independence and Donner Lakes, both of which are privately owned, appear to be threatened by the proposed developments, but that information at hand indicates that it may be possible to work out a solution whereby the scenic beauties of the lakes may be preserved, at least part of the year.

On recommendation of the committee, the council referred the problem to its special streamflow maintenance committee with instructions that this committee cooperate with the Interim Committee of the Legislature on Fish and Game toward developing a program to safeguard these areas.

C. Edmunds and Walter Barrett, the latter a member of the committee represented the Truckee Chamber of Commerce at the meeting and asked support of the state chamber as well as other state organizations to lend aid in preventing the further threat against our most valued natural resources.

That the local chamber will have the support of the fish and game commission as well as aid from the department of water resources was assured by Edward Hyatt, director of the latter group and George Miller and Brian Curtis, executives of the fish and game commission. Both of these men as well as others attending the session spoke in behalf of the interests attempting to save the lakes of the Sierra from destruction or damage by the power and irrigation interests.

Independence Lake was cited as an example of what might happen to all lakes in the district unless concerted action is taken to prevent utilities from using them as reservoirs.

It was tentatively decided to hold a meeting of the interim committee jointly with the stream flow maintenance committee in Truckee at a date to be fixed for the near future at which time factual evidence will be presented and if need be, legislative action outlined.

Representatives of the power and irrigation concerns were in attendance at the Sacramento meeting but few satisfactory answers were given to questions concerning future plans for Donner Lake. It was announced, however, that equipment would be installed at the outlet of Donner immediately to start "cleaning out the old channel."

Opposes McCarran Bill

The council went on record opposing Senator McCarran's bill SB No. 1153 which would take game control out of state hands and place it all under federal control.

RED CROSS SHIPS ITEMS TO N.C. DEPOT

Mrs. Elizabeth McKay, production chairman of the Red Cross here reports the following items sent to the Nevada City headquarters: 16 sweaters, 10 helmets, 2 pair socks, 2 scarfs, 22 child's rompers and 6 women's blouses.

FEWER HUNTERS BUT PLENTY DEER

After the first flurry during the opening days of the season, hunters are less prevalent in the district but results are reported to be good for those pursuing the buck. Forests are still dry and hunters are asked to continue using care in handling fire.

RATIONING BOARD OFFICE IS MOVED

The Truckee-Tahoe War Price and Rationing Board is now located in its new quarters in the Southern Pacific Hotel. The board is now located in the former trainmaster's offices at the northwest corner of the hotel.

Capitol Week

By HENNER HACKETT
United Press Staff Correspondent
CAPITOL WEEK Groups T s EE
SACRAMENTO, Sept. 30.—(UP)—
Governor Earl Warren returned from
a conference at Denver and reported
that executives of western states had
made a start toward regional post-
war planning.
"The representatives of the western
states realize that we are going to
have to work together to develop our

natural resources and to get a bal-
anced economy on the Pacific Coast,"
Warren said.
The governor denied that he had
made any plans so far to call a
special session of the legislature. He
said at the time the regular legisla-
tive session was adjourned that a
special session would be called with-
in a year to consider state teachers'
retirement and educational grant
problems.
Warren announced the appointment
of two men to fill vacancies on the
California Employment Stabilization
Commission. They are James G. Bry-
ant of San Francisco and T. H. Mug-

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THE CHALLENGE



Los Angeles Examiner

U. S. Treasury Department

ford of Sacramento, state sales tax administrator.

Bryant's appointment came as a surprise as he has worked for various new deal agencies, including the WPB and the Social Security Board. Both appointments were made on recommendation by Chairman Homer W. Buckley and two other members of the recently reorganized commission, Warren said.

Bryant and Mugford will be sworn in October 1. Meanwhile, the board of equalization announced that Mugford's successor, as sales tax administrator will be John J. Campbell, former Los Angeles district tax administrator.

Warren also appointed a five-member committee to work with federal officials in planning for the development of the rubber industry in California. Each committee member represents an area of the state where the guayule industry is centered.

Appointees were Fred J. Hart of Salinas, Lloyd W. Frick of Bakersfield, Rudolph W. Linderman, Sr. of Los Banos, E. Stanton Daley of Woodland and Lee Anderson of Chowchilla.

Finance Director John F. Hassler reported that California is about \$20,000,000 better off financially for the current fiscal year than had been anticipated in budget estimates.

During July and August, first two months of the fiscal year, tax collections were \$12,957,000 over estimates and spending from the state general fund was about \$7,000,000 less than anticipated. However, commitments made during the two month period will cut the latter figure to around \$2,000,000, Hassler said.

The reserve being accumulated for postwar uses through earmarking of portions of sales tax and franchise tax revenues is exceeded estimates by about \$2,500,000, Hassler said.

Considerable speculation was aroused in the capitol by Lt. Gen. Delos C. Emmons announcement that the midnight drinking curfew might be lifted and the closing hour restored to the prewar time of 2 a.m.

However, at weekend, Gen. Emmons clarified an earlier statement and said he did not intend to intimate any change in the hours until the military situation substantially improves.

The equalization board took no

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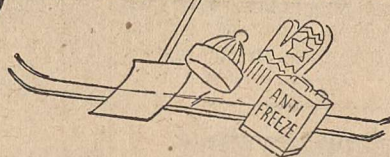
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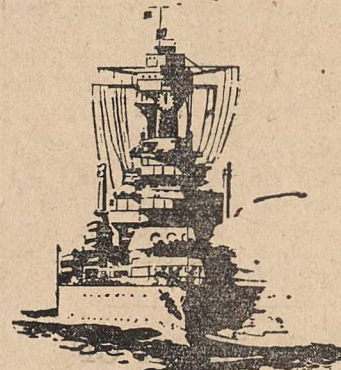
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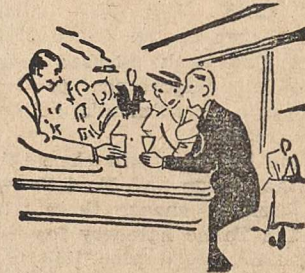
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HUNTERS CONTINUE HAVING GOOD LUCK IN TAHOE DISTRICT

TAHOE CITY, Sept. 30.— Among those bagging bucks during the past week are Hank Slade of Vallejo, Mr. and Mrs. George Goetz of Napa, friends of the Paul Crandalls; Charles Spaulding of the telephone company and his friend, Max Goodman of Reno; two bucks by the Pomin party consisting of Joe Rochelle of Berkeley and Tahoe, J. E. Pomin of Idelwild, E. H. Pomin of Tahoe City and Stanley Pomin of the Pope Estate. The party of Harry Johanson enjoyed a grand week's outing but failed to meet up with a buck. The Paul Crandall party, eight in number from Napa are credited with five bucks.

SAM MEYERS EXPIRES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

TAHOE CITY, Sept. 30.— Tahoe lost another of its older residents on Tuesday, when Sam Meyers, 72, caretaker at the C. W. Merrill estate at Tahoe City, passed away.

Cause of death was believed to have been double pneumonia. The elderly man had been confined to his home for some days, but made his way down town Sunday and collapsed and had to be helped home.

Weller Atherton sent to Marysville for his nephew, M. W. Cooper, who took him to that city after brief treatment by Dr. Bernard A. Truckee.

Meyers had lived at the lakeshore home of the Merrills for the past six or seven years and had lived for many years at Hobart Mills prior to coming to Tahoe.

He was an old sailor and frequently recalled globe-trotting voyages over the world. He spoke twice before the Truckee Lions Club some time ago.

Among guests of the A. M. Henry family during their stay here were Gilbert Donaldson and son David of Oakland and Laverne McDonald also of the bay area. The elder Donaldson returned home Saturday.

Tahoe Schools

The fall semester took up on Monday September 27 with seven pupils in attendance, according to Mrs. Bliss Hinkle, high school principal. The average daily attendance during the summer months was almost 40 which the remaining seven now attending will make a yearly average of 22, equal to the best years Tahoe attendance records have shown.

Few local residents realize the gravity of the situation confronting the Tahoe branch of the Placer Union High School at the close of classes last winter, due to the greatly diminished population because of war work. There was a real threat of losing the high school here and no small amount of credit should be given Mrs. Bliss Hinkle, whose suggestion it was to inaugurate a summer session in order that attendance records might be maintained. It has been pronounced so successful that there is every likelihood that the summer session will become an annual institution here.

It also eased the burden of the taxpayers who might not have considered the school in this light, as the state pays \$80 a year for each student. Most of the vacant houses in town were filled by students, whose spending program is estimated to have brought the community approximately \$1000 a month. They also did much to alleviate the help shortage in local resorts and hotels, many earning a tidy sum by their part-time services.

There were regretful good-byes said last weekend when the group returned again to their homes throughout the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallace and two daughters, Georgia and Jerry have left Truckee to make their home in Georgetown where Wallace has been transferred by the highway department at his own request. Georgia plans to reside with her grandmother in Placerville, 15 miles from Georgetown and will attend high school there, going home weekends. Wallace has been highway foreman in the lake region for some years past and was employed for 10 years in the Truckee-Tahoe area.

TAHOE LETTER

To the Service Men

From SWANEE


Tahoe City, Sept. 26th

Dear Tahoeites:
Sunday again, and time for another report to my reading family. Lovely weather prevailed today, although showers rampaged scattered areas of the lake region Friday and cloudy weather continued Saturday. Traffic is greatly diminished and for long stretches now no sound of passing cars is audible. Tahoe's season has ended with only a fraction of the summer residents remaining in. And with the coming of October, one begins to think of Halloween and Thanksgiving... and before very long... Christmas... and with it snow and blizzards.

Among those to depart Sunday for their city homes were Superior Judge and Mrs. Chester C. McDonald of the Timberland Tract, who live in Woodland. They plan, however, to return around the 14th of October for another visit when Judge McDonald's sister, Mrs. A. O. Bloedorn of Wyoming, will arrive to vacation with them.

The McDonald's only son, 24-year-old Lt. Douglas McDonald, is now on active duty somewhere in the South Pacific, according to their latest letter from him. He graduated from Quantico, Virginia, last November and since then has spent much of his time teaching courses in map reading, noise and water, so vital to the marine fighter. He has also been in the regimental weapons and anti-tank divisions. He left about the middle of January from San Diego for New Zealand, and later wrote interestingly of his experiences.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Hank Slade of Vallejo, who have a summer cottage in Tahoe Cedars, were our guests at dinner. Mrs. Slade is the former Florence Topp whose husband fell from the porch of a building in Lake Forest and was killed. Her brother, Francis Ford who has been working since the start of the war as a lumberjack



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near Susanville, is now at Camp Abbott, in Bend, Oregon where he has joined the combat engineers.

Miss Florence Vernon, who mustered out of the WAC when the army absorbed the WAAC, has been confined to her bed here for the past two weeks with a bad attack of the flu. Although a bit weak, she is up and about again and daily gaining improved health.

We hear from Sherwood Prusso, still enjoying his visit at the lake, that his brother, Ray, pfc, has been transferred from the eastern coast to Seattle. Ray celebrated his return west by telephoning members of his family, who were delighted to hear his voice again.

We are happy to report that one of our favorite people, Eric Druhn of Tahoe and San Francisco, has been promoted to rank of journeyman electrician after a period of less than three months. Both he and his wife were born in Germany but became American citizens around the first of the year and Eric at once went into war work where his natural talent and application have won him the approval of his bosses and continued advancement.

This week has been a round of entertainment and visiting for the Joe Henrys, up from the bay region for a well earned rest at their beloved lakeshore home in town. Both are employed in Oakland at the Moore Drydock where Rie is in charge of the tool storage and does some bookkeeping on the side. She also spends four hours, two days each week, as staff assistant in the home service at Red Cross headquarters and on Friday each week does her bit at the Service Men's Center, where lodging is provided for out of town boys on leave. This, in addition to working when needed at the Blood Bank in Oakland, where she had given four pints of blood to the most worthy cause.

Daughter, Pat, is now a junior meteorologist at the Reno airport, officially called Hubbard Field. She is also taking an extension course at the University of Nevada and is enthused with her work.

Al Henry Jr. his wife and baby Gary spent several days at the lake at the opening of the buck season and Al enjoyed a bit of hunting. In order to properly celebrate the occasion, Al's toy terrier, Susie proceeded to present them with three baby terriers on the night of their arrival here. The Henrys reluctantly departed Sunday.

While here, Marie told us of other former Tahoe residents who will be remembered by old timers. Two are Duane Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Johnson, now living in Iowa. He is with the signal corps at Camp Kohler and recently spent a weekend with the Henrys in Oakland, and his cousin, Dorvan Johnson, now a lieutenant and instructor in aviation in Texas. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson now living at Walnut Creek.

She also showed me a clipping telling of the exploits on September 8 of Second Lt. Leonard A. Wehrman of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wehrman of Winters and nephew of Henry Wehrman of Tahoe. The article told of Lt. Wehrman's participation in the raid over Stuttgart in a flying fortress, the Rhapsody on Flak, which found itself in the very midst of every kind of fire the German could throw at them. Despite good fighter escort the going was "rough

land on Thursday last and while in Los Angeles got to see Dick for three hours when his train stopped there. He writes that he likes his first taste of army life and is quite contented.

We believe that orchids are in order for Howard Johnston of Pinecrest, chairman of the local Third War Bond Drive and his co-workers. For as we write this the Tahoe region has exceeded its quota by \$11,000, the total now being \$51,000 and it is expected to go to \$60,000 before the ending. The balance of Placer county is reported slow in fulfilling its quota as the Tahoe district goes far over the top. And it is my personal belief that this grand Tahoe showing may be attributed to two causes... a deep concern for the welfare of you boys in the service and a true and lasting love of this beautiful mountain region you call home... Tahoe.

And so with these words of encouragement we ring off once again for another week. We hope the news of the progressive successes on the battle fronts is reaching you and we pray the combined might of the allied nations will continue to discourage and confuse our enemies. Our very best wishes for good health, good luck and good hunting to you all from the folks back home... and still wishing for total victory and peace before the end of 1943.

As ever, SWANEE.



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Returns Home—

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Renoite Here—

Miss Sarah Cupples of Reno is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth McKay.

Eaton Family Reunion—

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eaton and family of Fair Oaks and Hilton Eaton of Sparks are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Eaton. George Eaton of Sacramento accompanied his father, Harry, who was successful in a deer hunt.

Going to Hunting Lodge—

George Stover of Hawthorne has leased the Frank Kinne barber shop. Mr. and Mrs. Kinne will leave for their hunting lodge in Nevada soon for the duck season.

Gets Deer—

Earl Smith, Jr., bagged his deer near Weber Lake Saturday.

Lucky Socks



Lieut. Robert Benson, who is credited with sinking two Japanese aircraft carriers, shows his fiancée, June Walsh, a pair of red socks he carried for good luck.

BUS LINES OPPOSE 35 MILE SPEED IN INTERCITY RUNS

How the bus industry could serve wartime travelers better if the 35-mile speed restrictions were lifted as it applies to buses, was stressed today by F. W. Ackerman, vice president of Greyhound Lines.

"Despite wartime restrictions, buses are now carrying more than half of all intercity passengers and could assume an even greater burden of essential travel if road speed limitations were eased," Ackerman said, quoting from a report of the National Association of Motor Bus Operators.

Many of the restrictions which hampered the bus operators in meeting wartime transportation demands have been partially overcome, the association points out, but the industry could make a greater contribution if the highway speed limit for the intercity carriers was raised. The association's report shows that the reduction in maximum speed to 35 miles per hour has failed to produce appreciable saving in either rubber or motor fuel so far as intercity bus industry is concerned. On the other hand, the slower speeds have interfered with the efficiency of bus operation by requiring more manpower in driver and mechanic personnel and causing undue wear upon engines, transmissions and clutches.

Leaders of the industry contend that if intercity buses were allowed to operate at a maximum of 45 miles per hour on the open highway, a substantial number of passengers could be carried without additional equipment or personnel.

Attend Funeral—

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Quinton of Santa Cruz, former local residents, were here last week to attend the funeral of Charles Cabona.

Goes to Georgetown—

R. G. Wallace has been transferred to Georgetown by the highway department. The family will move there shortly.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends and neighbors who were so thoughtful and kind during our recent bereavement, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks. Your words and acts of sympathy did much to lighten our burden.

Mrs. Marie A. Cabona,
John, Dave and Louis Cabona,
Mrs. George Crease,
Mrs. P. J. Pasquini,
Mrs. Robert Brady,
Mrs. Max App.

Tahoe Briefs • •

By SWANEE

Capt. Hans Hansen Saturday night entertained the Joe Henrys at his Rubicon Lodge home, the group including the Swanson family, the Henrys and Mesdames Breuner and Druhn. Music and ghost stories whiled away the after dinner hours.

Bill Raver, Tahoe bus driver, is reported to have taken a run with the Greyhound Bus Lines out of Salt Lake City and will no longer be here. He planned to move his family to Utah as soon as a house could be secured.

The gift of books was acknowledged by the local library from Mrs. Anne Lovejoy and Mrs. Jacqueline Walker both of whom have departed for the season. Mrs. A. M. Anderson announces available to local readers Max Miller's latest best seller, Reno. Due to the departure of summer customers, Tahoe circulation is again dropping back to winter time status.

Alderman Here—

R. G. Alderman of Ross, California stopped off to visit friends here Tuesday.

Deacon Guests—

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Deaton were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dunseath of Reno Saturday night.

From Sacramento—

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Browning and son, Robert, Jr., of Sacramento were guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Little and also enjoyed hunting in Sierra Valley.

On Highway Patrol—

Patrolman Glenn Smart of Lincoln is working in this district relieving Patrolman Bob Fowler who with his family is taking a month's vacation.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our deepest appreciation to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind during our recent bereavement. We were deeply grateful for the beautiful floral offerings.

C. E. Smith,
Earl Smith and family,
Mrs. Lizzie Twaddle,
Miss Fannie Ridler.

Church Notes • • •

Catholic Church

Rev. William Daly, Pastor

8 a. m. Mass at Truckee church.

Community Church

Mrs. Hazel Brandlin in Charge

10 a. m. Sunday school. This quarter deals with the Ten Commandments and the teachings of Jesus. Today's topic is Christ's Way of Life. Come and bring the boys and girls.

11 a. m. Morning worship. This is World Wide Communion Sunday and is observed in many denominations throughout the universe. All believers are cordially invited to attend and participate in the holy sacrament. The speaker will have an appropriate message. The offering will go to relieve war suffering overseas and our youths in camps. A vocal duet will be rendered by Mrs. Carol Benham of San Francisco and Mrs. Brandlin.

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Visits Hospital—

B. Riordan went to San Francisco where he visited Earl Smith who is convalescing from a broken leg.

To Oakland—

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wagner left their Truckee River home Wednesday to return to Oakland for the winter.

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